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Sir:

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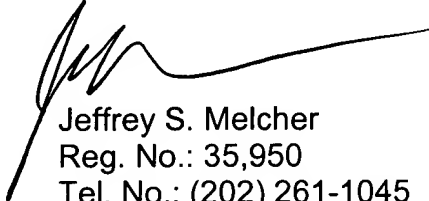
Applicant also attaches herewith a complete list of all his articles that have been submitted previously for consideration on PTO/SB/08A and B forms, which listed the dates the journals published the articles. Please note that the document numbers on this list do not correspond to the numbers in other lists submitted previously in other responses. Because of an oversight, Applicant's counsel only recognized recently that

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This information disclosure statement is intended to be in full compliance with the rules, but should the Examiner find any part of its required content to have been omitted, prompt notice that effect is earnestly solicited, along with additional time under Rule 97(f), to enable Applicant to comply fully. Consideration of the foregoing and enclosures plus the return of a copy of the herewith PTO/SB/08A and B forms with the Examiner's initials in the left column per MPEP 609 along with an early action on the merits of this application are earnestly solicited.

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